

GERMANS ARE FORCED BACK

200-Mile Battle Line of Germans Said to Be Giving Way Before Furious Onslaughts of Allies—Big British Victory and Illness of Kaiser Are Chief Topics—Heavy Fighting Still Raging in East With Germans Claiming Advantage

FOURTH CRUISER SUNK

By Associated Press.
London, Dec. 10.—(Bulletin).—It was officially announced this evening that the German cruiser, Nuremberg, one of the warships which escaped from the British fleet in battle of December 8th, has been sunk.

London, Dec. 10.—The German line that stretches across France for more than 200 miles is said by the French war office to be giving way before the attacks of the allies. The French announcement says that the allies have prosecuted the offensive successfully at points scattered much of the way across the country.

The German military authorities say that in the east advance along the Vistula river is being continued.

London, December 10.—The naval battle in the South Atlantic and the illness of Emperor William diverted attention today from the great struggles now in progress in Belgium, France and Poland. The fate of the small German cruisers Dresden and Nuremberg, which at last accounts were being pursued by British warships, had not been disclosed.

The British admiralty preserved its silence as to the make up of the squadron which sent to the bottom the formidable German cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and the smaller cruiser Leipzig, but it was intimated at Tokio that the warships which avenged England for the loss of the Good Hope and Monmouth were all British vessels.

So far as is known to the naval authorities at Tokio the Japanese squadron sent to the South Pacific did not take part in the engagement.

It is also said at Tokio that the British squadron was reinforced recently by the addition of several big-gunned ships so that presumably the German warships were opposed by a stronger enemy.

The latest reports concerning the condition of Emperor William were that he was unable to leave his bed and that his fever has not decreased. There is foundation for formation of reports that the emperor is suffering from pneumonia.

The German army in the west has been stirred to renewed activity by the offensive move of the allies. Ypres and Furness are again reported under heavy bombardment by the Germans.

An official Russian statement shows that there has been no let up in the

fighting in the east. Both in central Poland and Galicia, the Russian statement reports the Germans are making attack after attack in attempts to pierce the Russian line. Petrograd asserts that these assaults have been repulsed with heavy losses for the Germans. Berlin reports that in the battle near Cracow both Russian wings were beaten back.

Washington, December 10.—The Turkish government, through Ambassador Morgenthau, has signified to the State Department its willingness that an expedition be sent to the relief of the people in Jerusalem. The expedition is being organized by Hebrew philanthropic societies in New York, which plans to send a ship through the Mediterranean to Palestine.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Dec. 10.—Wireless reports received here indicate that the German cruisers Dresden and Nurnberg, the survivors in the engagement with an English fleet, December 8, in which three German cruisers were sunk, closely pursued by British warships, are fleeing in the direction of Port Santa Cruz.

FAYETTE MEN AFTER JOB ON LIQUOR BOARD

COLUMBUS, O., DEC. 10.—THE STATE LIQUOR LICENSING BOARD TODAY SUMMONED C. E. BAUGHN AND S. C. PHILLIPS, OF WASHINGTON C. H., AND THOMAS YORE, BLOOMINGBURG, TO APPEAR BEFORE THE BOARD NEXT TUESDAY TO PRESENT THEIR CLAIMS FOR FITNESS AS APPLICANTS FOR APPOINTMENT AS LIQUOR LICENSE OFFICERS IN FAYETTE CO.

The appointment of the license board for Fayette county is expected during the present month, and probably on Tuesday of next week.

AUSTRIANS IN REVOLT

Geneva, via Paris, December 10.—A dispatch from Prague states that confirmation has been received there that Czech regiments, No. 28, 108, 11 and the 8th Landwehr, which were serving against Serbia, revolted on the battle field. The news is said to have created a deep impression in Vienna.

EDISON BEGINS A NEW

West Orange, N. J., December 10.—The fire which swept the ten acre manufacturing plant of the Thomas A. Edison Company was extinguished today after 11 of the 18 buildings had been destroyed and others damaged so, that the loss of the fire would approximate \$7,000,000. 7000 men are employed at the plant and half of these will be out of work temporarily.

Work of removing the debris was begun today under the direction of Thomas A. Edison. One man perished in the flames and two are missing. Mr. Edison's laboratory was not injured. It contained records of 30 years of the inventor's work.

PASSENGER BOAT IS IN DISTRESS

By Associated Press.
San Luis, California, December 10.—Two liners are rushing to the assistance of the passenger steamer Centralia which is anchored off the California coast north of the Santa Barbara Islands. The Centralia's machinery is disabled and a strong southerly wind is threatening to drive her ashore.

Later—The Centralia is out of danger.

HERRICK OUT JUST \$400,000

By Associated Press.
Cleveland, O., December 10.—Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France, with Mrs. Herrick, arrived here early today and was escorted to his home, where he will rest up for a public reception to be given in his honor late this afternoon.

He declined to discuss the plan of friends to boom him for president in 1916 and said he would have to "earn some money," as his duties in Paris had cost him \$400,000.

GERMAN BOAT WORKS HAVOC

New York, Dec. 10.—The will o' the wisp movements of the German cruiser Karlsruhe in South American and West Indian waters, and the belief that German secret agents are keeping her informed of movements of merchant vessels, is working havoc with shipping along the South American coast, according to officers of the steamship Scottish Prince, that arrived here today from Santos.

REAR ADMIRAL FLETCHER

Discusses Preparedness of American Navy For War.



QUARANTINE LIFTED IN FAYETTE COUNTY TODAY

By Associated Press.
WASHINGTON, D. C., DEC. 10.—(BULLETIN).—FAYETTE COUNTY WAS RELEASED TODAY FROM THE FEDERAL INTERSTATE QUARANTINE.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM SAYS SECT. DANIELS

Navy and Defenses Should be Steadily Strengthened Each Year But No Extraordinary Appropriations Made is Opinion of Nation's Naval Chief—Not Necessary to Have Navy as Powerful as England is Claim Made.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Secretary Daniels of the War Department, told the House Naval Committee today that while the American navy should be "steadily strengthened in an orderly way each year the sentiment of the American people was against the making of the United States into a military nation, in competition with the heavily armed powers of Europe. The Secretary's declaration today, close upon remarkable testimony of Rear Admiral Fletcher, commander of the Atlantic fleet, who yesterday told the committee there was only one navy in the world—England's—to which the United States was not equal, came as a climax to two days' discussion of the preparedness of the nation for defense.

Secretary Daniels declared he decried demands for great increases in the array of battleships and submarines and declared the United States already was a strong nation. He outlined this year's plan for two dreadnaughts, six torpedo boat destroyers, eight or more submarines, one of the sea going type, and the others for coast defense, one gunboat and one oiler.

He advises Congress not to act any differently in providing for naval strength than it would have acted if there had been no war in Europe. He declared that after the conflict abroad had been settled there would be many lessons made plain and he expressed the hope that the universal disarmament might come then, though no nation could afford to stop its construction program until an international agreement had become an actuality.

HEAD OF MORMON CHURCH DIES AT AGE OF 82 YEARS

Independence, Mo., Dec. 10.—Joseph Smith, president of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints died at his home here today at the age of 82 years.

A history of Joseph Smith, who was a son of Joseph Smith, prophet and founder of Mormonism, is a history of the re-organized church of the Latter Day Saints. It was he who brought together the little bands of Mormons in Illinois, Iowa and Missouri, left behind when the main body emigrated to Utah. He became the first president of the re-organized church, and held that office more than half a century, until his death. He was a cousin of Joseph Fielding Smith, in recent years president of the Latter Day Saints in Utah.

The greater part of President Joseph Smith's life was a struggle, as had been the life of his father, to place Mormonism upon a sound footing. During the last years of his life he was blind. He was born November 6, 1832, at Kirtland, O., where his father had

STILL IN JAIL AWAITING TRIAL

Til Taylor and Hayes Taylor, both colored, charged with the sale of intoxicating liquor, are still in the county jail awaiting their hearing, which has been postponed until December 17th.



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IMPORTANT MEETING TAKES PLACE FRIDAY

The meeting of teachers, boards of education and patrons of schools, to be held at Memorial hall tomorrow, beginning at ten o'clock, is eliciting much interest throughout the county, and a large number will attend the meeting.

An interesting program has been prepared, and three prominent educators from other points, will be here to take part in making the meeting a success.

Patrons of schools are invited to attend the meeting and enjoy the discussions and heart-to-heart talks.

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Y. M. C. A. DIRECTORS HOLD REGULAR MONTHLY MEETING

Report of Secretary Patton Received and Several Important Matters Discussed—Association Will Give Open-House Entertainment January 1—Membership Committee Report Shows That Body Is "Taking Hold"—Money Saved by Efforts of "Paving Squad."

The reading of the report from Secretary Patton, discussion of the heating plant situation and insurance matters and the receipt of several minor but gratifying reports marked the regular monthly meeting of the Y. M. C. A. board of directors held at the Association building Wednesday evening.

Secretary Patton brought to the attention of the board the fact that at this season of the year the insurance assessment is unusually high because of the number of policy payments coming due between now and March and the board planned immediate steps to offset the additional drain on finances.

The matter of holding an open-house entertainment at the Y. M. C. A. on New Year's night was broached and approved and arrangements will be made on an extensive scale for this function.

It will be recalled that a few weeks ago Secretary Patton and Physical Director McClung, assisted by a number of the lads of the Boys' Department and one or two expert workmen, laid a stretch of cement paving in front of the building and at the meeting Mr. Patton reported that the entire cost of the work including the labor of the extra workmen and the material, amounted to \$23, or just about half the expense that would have been occasioned if the work had been let by contract.

Another report submitted by Mr. Patton was of the transferring of \$26.51 from the fund of the Woman's auxiliary to the Boys' department for the settlement of expenses incurred in the recent outfitting of the boys' game room.

One very pleasing feature of the meeting was a comparative report of the work of the membership committees during the months of September, October and November which showed very good gains in all departments of the work during each succeeding month. As the membership committee is counted upon as one of the chief sources of income the reported increase received an enthusiastic voice of approval.

The comparative report follows:

	Sept.	Oct.	Nov.
Sustaining mem....	\$ 62	\$ 66	\$ 77
Senior mem.....	107	111	119
Junior mem.....	55	56	63

Totals\$224 \$223 \$252
Below is Secretary Patton's report for the month of November:

	Actual	Budget
Sustaining mem....	\$ 52.00	\$120.00
Senior	39.50	100.00
Junior	23.50	45.00
Rentals	15.00	9.00
Dormitory	162.50	150.00
Educational Dept.	53.50	56.25
Physical	3.70	8.00

Woman's Aux..... 26.51

Total Receipts..\$376.21 \$488.25
October Bank Bal.\$130.88

EXPENDITURES.

	Actual	Budget
General	\$143.24	\$150.00
Heat	18.31	11.80
Light	30.00	63.40
Water	12.84	23.20
Boys' Dept.	1.20
Educational	31.17	32.00
Social	4.00
Physical	90.45	90.00
Membership	7.75
Dormitory	26.32	32.00
Office	11.90	9.50
Laundry	17.78	25.00
Misc.	18.55	10.00

Total Expenses.\$413.51 \$446.90
Bank Balance... 93.58

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SPECIAL CONVOCATION

Of Fayette Chapter No. 103, R. A. M., on Thursday evening, December 10, at 7:30. Work in M. M. and P. M. degrees. All companions requested to be present. Visiting brothers welcome.

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MAY SHELL THE MEXICAN FORCES

Washington, Dec. 10.—The administration is preparing to deal with the situation at Naco, Ariz., where during the last two months forty-four persons have been struck by bullets fired on the Mexican side of the border. General Bliss and three battalions of artillery are on their way to Naco. While the White House announced that no aggressive action is contemplated in the dispatch of additional forces to Naco, it is pointed out that any action there might well be called "defensive." In other words, the artillery being sent to Naco might be used to shell the Maytorena forces beyond Naco, Sonora, without doing any injury to the town itself, and effectively rid the Arizona town of the present menace of stray bullets. Advice from Mexico City to the state department were that President Gutierrez is proceeding as best he can toward the organization of the government.

JOFFRE'S DISPATCH

Paris, Dec. 10.—Progress all along the front, practically from the North sea to Alsace, is reported in General Joffre's official reports. Gains are claimed along the Aisne, on the heights of the Meuse, in the Argonne and in the Vosges. All the advantages gained during the past few days have been maintained, according to the communiques, and all the attacks attempted by the Germans have been repulsed.

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RUSSIAN TRENCH

Dead Soldier Left as Comrades Retreated Before the Germans.



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HERRICK IS WELCOMED TO HIS HOME CITY

Thousands of Clevelanders Do Him Honor Today.

Cleveland, Dec. 10.—This city today welcomed Colonel Myron T. Herrick with one of the greatest demonstrations ever given a citizen in the history of the city. Thousands of citizens thronged Central Armory this afternoon at the public reception held there.

The Herrick party arrived at 9:15 this morning. At the station he received the preliminary greeting and welcome of the municipal executive committee.

From the station Colonel and Mrs. Herrick proceeded to their home, where they remained until the hour of the big reception.

Colonel Herrick was escorted from his home to the armory by the members of the executive committee, honorary vice presidents, and a platoon of mounted police.

The doors of the armory were thrown open at 1 o'clock in the afternoon and the program and reception began an hour later. Mayor Baker, James W. Hoyt and Colonel Herrick were the speakers.

Occupying the platform with Colonel Herrick were members of the executive committee, honorary vice presidents of the reception committee and members of the former ambassador's staff when he was governor of the state. A. B. Critchfield of Washington, adjutant general under Herrick; Major Joseph Hall of Cincinnati and Colonel Harry Knox of Marietta attended the reception.

Mr. Herrick wears in his buttonhole a little red ribbon, President Poincare of France having conferred on Mr. Herrick the grand cross of the Legion of Honor.

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The estate is divided as follows: Personal and chattel property, \$24,536.42; money, \$5,265.30; bonds, mortgages and notes, \$6,852.06; realty, \$133,315.50; life insurance, \$5,000.

ASSUMES CHARGE OF CINCINNATI WORK

Dr. H. A. Salt, in charge of the local branch of the Bureau of Live Stock Industry, was summoned to Cincinnati, Wednesday evening, to superintend the work of disinfecting the stock pens in that city.

He will remain in charge of the work until Sunday, returning here to take charge of the work next Monday morning. During his absence Dr. B. H. Olds will be in charge of the work.

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Men's Sweater Coats.....	39c	Men's good Felt Boots double sole	\$2.25
Men's all wool Sweater Coats.....	95c	Men's good Rubber Boots at.....	\$2.19
Ladies' Raincoats worth \$5 at.....	\$2.48	Ladies' Good Overshoes high or low heel	45c
Ladies' Cloaks at Half Price		Ladies' Good Alaskas at.....	69c
Men's Overcoats worth \$2 at.....	\$5.98	Ladies' Buckle Arctics at.....	85c
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The President's Message

The annual message of the President should be read with interest by every citizen. It sums up the results of the administration of the party in power and it gives to the people an opportunity to put a finger on the pulse of the ruling government, through the expression of the chief executive.

On Tuesday President Wilson delivered the annual message to Congress, a message explicit and optimistic, and directed especially towards the business interests of the country; such a message as might be expected from a President of high ideals and whose sincerity of purpose has never been questioned.

There is much in the message which can draw support from the people at large, regardless of party affiliations, and its subject matter deserves at least careful consideration from every patriotic and fair-minded citizen.

First and foremost President Wilson entered into the problems created by the war in Europe, and the changed conditions of the United States as the result of the war. He says: "While we have worked at our tasks of peace the circumstances of the whole age have been altered by war. * * * War has interrupted not only the means of trade, but also the processes of production. In Europe it is destroying men and resources wholesale, and upon a scale unprecedented and appalling. There is reason to fear that the time is near, if it be not already at hand, when several of the countries of Europe will find it difficult to do for their people what they have hitherto been easily able to do—many essential and fundamental things.

"At any rate they will need our help and our manifold services as they have never needed them before, and we should be ready, more fit and ready than we have ever been."

The President impresses strongly the fact that the United States should be prepared with its resources, its energies, its forces of production and its means of distribution to serve both itself and mankind. He deplores the error which has been committed in the stunting and hindrance of the merchant marine, so that now, when we need ships we have not got them, and he points out the immediate need of a merchant marine to care for the added commerce now opening.

President Wilson urged that the pending shipping bill be passed, in order that there may be properly stimulated activity in trade with foreign countries.

According to his view such legislation can not wisely be postponed. "The government must open these gates of trade and open them wide; open them before it is altogether profitable to open them, or altogether reasonable to ask private capital to open them at a venture."

In President Wilson's advocacy of peace, all people, regardless of partisanship, can join in admiration, and glory in his statement that "We are the champions of peace and concord."

He laid great stress upon the maintenance of peace in war time and especially "when half the world is on fire shall we be careful to make our moral insurance against the spread of the conflagration very definite and certain and adequate indeed."

President Wilson declared the nation must depend in future, as in the past, not upon a standing army, nor yet upon a reserve army, but upon a citizenry trained and accustomed to arms. He denied that there has been neglect of proper precaution in lines of military defense; called attention to changing methods, as proved in present war, and to how obsolete new ships of a few years ago have become, their efficiency not equal to their boast.

The call to economy in government expenditures was made imperative, the President asserting that the people desire to get the service due them for the dollars paid out, and are more concerned over that than the amount spent. It was urged that a policy of rigid economy be enforced in all governmental departments. The Senate was asked to grant greater measure of self-government to the Philippines and the message regretted that it would be impossible to deal with the great problem of rural credits at this session.

The whole tenor of the message led Congress to believe that President Wilson had written "finis" on his business program and that business now knows where it stands as far as the work of the present administration is concerned.

The President closes his message with the hope that the nation's great purpose will be to develop its life and resources, to supply its own people, and the people of the world as their need arises, from the abundant plenty of its fields and its marts of trade; to enrich the commerce of our own states and of the world with the products of our mines, our farms and our factories, with the creations of our thought and the fruit of our character.

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One poem which I sold last year, That gave at least one reader cheer (The author), isn't paid for yet. The editor's declared, I'll bet, A moratorium.

I've held a promissory note So long I know it now by rote And can recite it sans a blunder. I wonder if the signers under A moratorium?

If you cannot collect your dues Don't fret yourself into the blues, Some day, mayhap, the clouds will drift Away and, as they scatter, lift The moratorium.

But here's a thing 'tis hard to spy: Judge why, old man, cant you and I Take refuge, till the war is over, In that delightful field of clover— The moratorium? —St. Louis Republic.

Weather Report

Washington, December 10.—Ohio and West Virginia—Snow and colder Thursday; Friday partly cloudy. Illinois—Snow flurries and somewhat colder Thursday; Friday fair. Lower Michigan—Partly cloudy Thursday; Friday fair.

WEATHER OBSERVATIONS.

Observations of the United States weather bureau taken at 7 p. m. Wednesday:

Temp.	Weather.
New York 34	Snow
Boston 28	Clear
Washington 36	Cloudy
Buffalo 30	Cloudy
Columbus 36	Cloudy
Chicago 32	Snow
St. Louis 30	Snow
Minneapolis 18	Clear
Los Angeles 58	Clear
New Orleans 52	Clear
Seattle 59	Clear
Tampa 58	Clear

Weather Forecast.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Indications for tomorrow: Ohio—Partly cloudy.

Where the Appeal Comes.

Mrs. Muggins—Does your husband appeal to you as a vocalist? Mrs. Buggins—Not exactly. In fact, it's the other way. When he begins to sing I appeal to him.—Philadelphia Record.

AFFECTS TWENTY MORE COUNTIES

Columbus, Dec. 10.—Orders from the federal department of agriculture releasing twenty-three more Ohio counties from the quarantine against foot and mouth disease are expected by state officials at any time. Dr. Marion Imes, federal inspector in charge of Ohio, made this further recommendation. The names of the counties will not be made public until Secretary Houston has signed the order of release. It is understood, however, that they are in the southern part of the state.

Together with the twenty-seven counties that were released from the federal ban Monday, this new order will bring the total to fifty counties from which shipments of cattle may be made to markets outside the state without inspection.

The state quarantine in five counties, Preble, Putnam, Seneca, Williams and Wyandot, has been modified by the agricultural commission so that live stock may be shipped to markets within the state from sections outside a five mile radius of infected herds.

SONS OF VETERANS.

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Hough Next Adjutant General.

Columbus, Dec. 10.—Governor-Elect Frank B. Willis announced at Washington his first batch of appointments. He stated that, immediately upon taking the oath of office, he would appoint Lieutenant Colonel Benson W. Hough of Delaware to be adjutant general; Colonel E. Bryant of Wood county to be assistant adjutant general, and Major W. H. Duffy of Columbus to be quartermaster general.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast. adv

YOUR XMAS GIFTS

will carry tone and more quality if enclosed in a nice Christmas box. New empty boxes, all sizes, are now ready at Rodecker's in red, holly and poinsetta patterns.

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FOR RENT—5-room house on Rose avenue. Call Mrs. W. E. Taylor, both phones. 289 1t

FOR RENT—6-room house, two squares and a half from court house. Barnett's Grocery. 289 1t

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FOR RENT—East half of house at 175 Columbus avenue; city and soft water; gas and toilet. 284 12t

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FOR RENT—Rooms for light housekeeping, 228 N. Fayette St., Citz. phone 442. 271 1t

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FOR SALE.

FOR SALE—New Home sewing machines, at special closing out prices. Smalley's Music store. 290 6t

FOR SALE—Oliver typewriter in good condition, cheap if sold this week. C. H. Murray. 289 6t

FOR SALE—Household furniture. Call at Maggie Landrum's Church St. 288 6t

FOR SALE—Desirable home in sunny Delaware, 6 acres poultry, berry and truck farm, edge best town in state. Splendid set buildings; like new, growing fruit and shade; oysters, clams, fishing and hunting. Will exchange for hotel, general merchandise store in a good

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FOR SALE—East half lot 42 section 4, Washington cemetery. R. C. Hunt. 280-t12

FOR SALE OR RENT—Ten-room double house, 916 East Market St. B. C. Mace. 278 1t

FOR SALE—At Woodlawn Stock farm, Aberdeen-Angus cows and heifers, Duroc Jersey and Chester White hogs. Benton Garringer. 253 to Jan 1.

FOR SALE—Durocs, eligible to register, both sexes. Elmer T. Hughson, Citz. phone 2 & 1 on 195. 230 1t

FOR SALE—Duroc Jersey boars, A. M. Langdon, Bell phone 113-w2. 230-1t

WANTED.

WANTED—Two lady boarders, 408 S. Main St., Citz. phone 1441. 290 6t

WANTED—Trade with Reno and furnish your house free. Stamp given with each 10c cash purchase or paid on your bill. Clothing, shoes, hats, etc., cheap. Young Hyson tea 40c lb. Oakland avenue. 288 12t

WANTED—Who wants a good colored, honest and steady farm hand that can do any kind of farm work. Address J. D. 647 E. Paint St., Washington C. H., Ohio. 284 18t

WANTED—Persons owing old bills to members of The Fayette Credit Bureau can protect their credit by paying up. 269 t52

WANTED—If you would grow pecans, oranges or livestock, or do general farming 40 miles from Mobile, write K-C Lumber Co., Lucedale, Miss., for booklet. Licensed under Ohio "blue sky" law. 268 24t

LOST AND FOUND.

LOST—Strayed or stolen, Fox Terrier dog, white with black face and black spot on hip; 5 months old, goes by the name of Bob. A reward will be paid for his return to C. L. Bernhard & Son. 288 6t

OCTA SHOOTING CASE ON TRIAL BEFORE MAYOR

The cases of Bert and Glenn Rankin, of Octa, charged with assault with intent to kill, the charge being preferred by Raymond Sheeley, came up for hearing before Mayor Coffey Thursday morning, thirteen witnesses being subpoenaed in the case, and the defendants were represented by Rankin & Rankin, while Sheeley was represented by W. B. Rogers.

The case was the result of a battle royal in the streets of Octa, one week ago last Saturday night, when Sheeley was badly used up in the affray, and is said to have narrowly escaped serious injury when guns are alleged to have been pulled and shots fired.

The case was continued over from the morning session until in the afternoon, the examination of witnesses moving forward slowly.

DEATH CALLS AGED RESIDENT

After weeks of suffering Mrs. Rebecca Giddings, widow of the late John Giddings, passed into the great beyond Wednesday evening at seven o'clock, aged 77 years.

Nearly two months ago Mrs. Giddings sustained a broken hip. She was apparently recovering from her accident with unusual rapidity when she was stricken with paralysis. A second stroke occurring some days later, terminated all hope of recovery.

Mrs. Giddings' death will be learned with much sorrow by a large number of friends, especially in the Mill-edgeville vicinity, which loses a splendid woman, an active church worker, loyal friend and devoted mother.

Four children mourn their mother, A. B. Giddings, H. W. Giddings, of Milledgeville; James Giddings, of Dayton, and Mrs. Ella Montgomery, of Greenfield.

The funeral services will be held Saturday afternoon at one o'clock at the M. P. church in Milledgeville.

WELL KNOWN RESIDENT DIES IN HILLSBORO

Mr. Moses Calvert, father of Mr. Spencer Calvert, of this city, died very suddenly Wednesday night at the home of his son, Mr. W. E. Calvert, in Hillsboro.

Mr. Calvert, well known in this vicinity, was a retired farmer of Hillsboro, and one of the sterling men of that community. He reached the advanced age of 86 years on his last birthday and enjoyed unusually good health, until taken ill last Sunday.

A daughter of the deceased, Mrs. Fanny Holliday, residing near Hillsboro, is very low and there is little hope of her recovery.

Mr. Spencer Calvert left Thursday morning for Hillsboro and Mrs. Calvert, daughters, Mrs. F. H. Blessing, Miss Ethel and Mr. Blessing, will go over Friday for the funeral service held in the afternoon.

ANNUAL ELECTION OF FAYETTE HIVE

Fayette Hive No. 317, Ladies of the Maccabees elected the following officers for the ensuing year at their regular review Tuesday night, December 8:

Lady commander, Maude Plymire; lieut. commander, Carrie Baughn; past commander, Anne K. DeWees; chaplain, Martha Jones; record keeper, Lillian Baughn; finance auditor, Mary English; lady at arms, Alma McKitterick; sergeant, Hattie Brown; sentinel, Elizabeth Kennedy; picket, Alice Upp; musician, Sarah Marks; capt. of guards, Myrle Morris; color bearer No. 1, Donna Morris; color bearer No. 2, Grace Merkley.

COL. HOUGH IS OF FOURTH REGIMENT

Col. B. W. Hough, whom it is announced is Governor-elect Willis' choice for Adjutant General, is Lieutenant Colonel of the Fourth regiment, O. N. G., of which Company M of this city is a part, and Col. Hough is well known here and highly respected by the men under him.

Col. Hough spent parts of several days in this city preparing for the annual camp at Maple Grove some 3 months ago.

PERSONAL PARAGRAPHS

Miss Daisy Cockerill has returned from a two weeks' visit with her brother, Mr. Walter Cockerill and family in Greenfield.

Mrs. S. E. Simmons and Mrs. Cleve Shough visited in Jeffersonville a couple of days this week.

Supt. and Mrs. J. A. Tway gave the children at the Home a happy afternoon yesterday, bringing them in to see the Christmas display.

Mrs. George Haynes and Mrs. J. M. Baker spent Tuesday and Wednesday in Columbus to see Pavlowa.

Miss Roxie Stinson, who has been visiting her aunt, Mrs. Ferguson in Montpelier, Ind., for several weeks, is now the guest of Mrs. O. E. Spurgeon at Muncie, Ind.

STUTSON'S Grand Christmas Opportunity to Buy Practical Gifts at Half Price

Our Great Assortment of

Winter Suits and Coats

Showing the Nobby New Styles, the Leading Materials, both in plain tailored and trimmed in Velvet, Fur and smart new effects goes on sale tomorrow at 1-2 Price.

Winter Suits Winter Coats

Suits sold at \$12.50, cut to	\$6.25	Coats sold at \$6.00, cut to	\$3.00
Suits sold at \$18.50, cut to	\$9.25	Coats sold at \$10.00, cut to	\$5.00
Suits sold at \$22.50, cut to	\$11.25	Coats sold at \$12.50, cut to	\$6.25
Suits sold at \$25.00, cut to	\$12.50	Coats sold at \$18.50, cut to	\$9.25
Suits sold at \$35.00, cut to	\$17.50	Coats sold at \$25.00, cut to	\$12.50
		Coats sold at \$35.00, cut to	\$17.50

All Children's Coats at One-Half Off.

\$3.50 values at	\$1.75	\$10.00 values at	\$5.00
\$5.00 values at	\$2.50	\$12.50 values at	\$6.25
\$8.50 values at	\$4.25		

Special Sale Silk and Chiffon Waists.

\$4.50 and \$5.00 values at	\$1.95
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Ladies' Skirts.

Sold \$5.00, cut to	\$2.95
Sold \$8.00, cut to	\$5.45

Big Price Cuts on Silk and Wool Dresses.

Our Domestic Department provides special values in All Wool Blankets, Cotton Blankets, Bath Robes, Indian Blankets and Comforts.

It Pays to Buy at Stutson's. Largest Stocks—Lowest Prices.

FRANK L. STUTSON.

PALACE THEATRE! TONIGHT

The Indian Players present Their Passion Play
HIAWATHA
A picture masque in 4 parts. 100 scenes. 150 Indians



As great an achievement in historic value as the reproduction by the printing press of the Declaration of Independence.

Parents SHOULD take their children
Children WILL take their parents

First show at 5:30 prompt.

THE PALACE Admission 5c-10c

Mr. E. L. Bush is a business visitor in Columbus today.

Mrs. C. K. Howard, of Circleville, is the guest of her daughter, Mrs. Willard Story.

Hon. J. M. Willis spent Wednesday in Columbus in the interest of the Farmer's delegation, taking up the matter of stock shipping.

Mr. and Mrs. Charles Himiller are announcing the birth of an eleven pound son, at their home on South Fayette street, Wednesday night.

Jean Michaels, the little daughter of Mr. and Mrs. Frank Michaels, is recovering from a severe attack of tonsillitis.

Mrs. Earl Barnett and little son are visiting Mrs. E. F. Kinnear, in Columbus.

Mr. George A. Willett, of Xenia, was a business visitor here Wednesday.

Mr. J. A. Greiner and daughter, Mrs. R. M. Hughey, spent Wednesday in Columbus.

Mr. R. C. Hunt returned Thursday morning from a business trip to Washington, D. C.

Mr. Elmer Pavey, of Leesburg, was a business visitor in this city Wednesday.

Mr. Wm. H. Pence, of Hillsboro, spent Wednesday in this city on business.

Dr. L. M. McFadden was called to Hillsboro Thursday in consultation in the critical illness of Mrs. Fanny Holliday, a sister of Mr. Spencer Calvert.

Mr. C. A. Gossard made a business trip to Cincinnati the first of the week.

Mrs. C. C. Bernard, Mrs. O. E. Cline, Mrs. John Langdon and Mrs. Olin

Moon, of Sabina, are shopping visitors here today.

Mr. George Keysaer, of New Martinsburg, spent Thursday in town on business.

Mr. and Mrs. Roy Baker, of North North street, have returned home after an extended visit with friends in Dayton, Miamisburg and Xenia.

Get that \$5.00 in gold offered free by The Fayette Credit Bureau. See display ad. in this paper. Send your reply in early.

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LOST—Tail lamp off of automobile. Reward for return to Dr. C. C. Hazard. 291 6t

FOR RENT—4-room cottage \$8 Fayette Renting Agency, Room 6 Pavey building. Bell, 192; Home, 237. 291 6t

FOR SALE—Cow with calf by side. Inquire Frank Mayer, Citiz. phone 768. 291 6t

WANTED—Girls over 18 at the Shoe Factory. 291 6t



WILL THERE be a VICTROLA IN YOUR HOME THIS CHRISTMAS?

'Tis a Christmas Gift for every member of the family—every day in the year. Brings happiness and cheer in the home.

PRICES \$15, \$25, \$40, \$50, \$75, \$100, \$150, \$200
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We carry over 1000 Victrola Records in stock, comprising all kinds of music, including the late and popular music. Victrola Records are certainly in a class by themselves.

Visit Smith's Victrola Department



CHRISTMAS SUGGESTIONS

From Craig Bros.

A Great Christmas Store

Each section holding choice treasures of use and beauty, invaluable as suitable Christmas remembrances for every member of the family and all the friends.

The Dress Goods Section is a choice hunting ground for thoughtful Christmas shoppers. Many hearts may be made happy by the selection of a Waist or Dress Pattern from this most tempting stock.

The Clothing Section furnishes wonderful opportunities for supplying Father and the Boys with articles of apparel, that will bring from them the heartiest kind of appreciation.

The Shoe Section with its new House Slippers, from the daintiest little Satin Boudoir Pump, to Grandfather's old fashioned Carpet Slippers, shows a line complete. What better gift than a pair of good, soft, easy, restful, comfortable house slippers, anyway?

The Ready-to-Wear Section with its array of wearables is a good place to find just the proper thing—whether it's a waist, dress, suit, or a dainty bit of underwear.

The Carpet and Rug Section with hand and electric vacuum cleaners, to lighten Mother's burden; or a new rug for the house, present a story which contains food for thought, and careful consideration.

TOYLAND

Holds the interest of all visitors—older folks as well as the children marvel at the antics of the new mechanical toys. Girls are thrilled at the sight of the beautiful Baby Dolls, Doll Cradles. Doll Go-Carts, Doll Tea Sets and Toy Furniture. Boys become interested when they see the Steam Engines, Boats, Battleships, Automobiles, and the new Mecanno, the building toy.

This section holds not alone toys, but many fine gift things, Japanese Baskets of novel design, brushed brass pieces, gift boxes of Stationery, Christmas Cards, Seals and Letters.



Don't Miss a Visit to This Great Christmas Store

CRAIG BROS.

Mr. Wesley Sheridan is down from Mt. Sterling on business.

In Social Circles

The Browning club met Wednesday evening, Mrs. Kerr, president, in the chafr. Miss Sprenger's name was presented for the active list of membership, also the secretary, Mrs. Bay, read some letters from candidates for positions connected with the Associated Charities work. The president spoke of a matter presented to the club, whether as a business feature women could take up the work of demonstrating the manufacture of automobiles and make it a success.

This was discussed somewhat. Mrs. Sever, chairman in the Red Cross Seal work, reported ten thousand sold so far, and this is fine work considering the very stormy weather ever since the work began. Mrs. Marks reported in the P. O. booth, \$45.15.

For the opening of the program, Miss Jean Howat, presiding, Miss Dorothy Bush gave pretty piano solo.

Miss Fannie Persinger's paper on "Tapestry" Painting, was given by Mrs. Junk, Miss Persinger not being able to be present. "Tapestries" is a most interesting subject and delightful form of art combining picture interests with texture interests. The texture or weave of tapestries is what gives them their excellencies in the form of literary expression. Through them the stories of Roman and medieval history were made vi-

vid to the people of England, France and Germany during the time from the 14th to the 18th century. Tape-stries unlike paintings are best when large and in sets and crowded with romantic stories.

Some of the special pieces named were "Acts of the Apostles" by Westfield, "The Story of Notre Dame" shown in Sistine Chapel. One beautiful panel called "Winter" adorns a New York residence. Many fine tapestry workers have lately come to America. It is said their condition of mind has much to do with the work of the weaver.

Miss McCafferty had a fine paper on Chinese Painting. Many of these of special note way back from the 8th to the 18th century. Chinese make their watercolors on silk. All their pictures are of great delicacy and chasteness, but the alternatives of light and shade are almost unknown. The Chinese Empress resented the fact that in a painting of her, one part of her face was darker than the other. The Chinese largely use individuality in all their painting.

The engagement of Mr. Warren Grove, the only son of Mr. and Mrs. George Grove, east of town, and one of the well known young men of that vicinity, to Miss Zelpha Myers, of Sedalia, was announced at a dinner, given by Miss Sallie Johnson, the aunt of the bride. The wedding will be an event of the Christmas season.

In compliment to Miss Stella West, who is home from Valparaiso, Ind., for the semester vacation, Mrs. Ed Klever extended the hospitality of her handsome home to twenty young women Tuesday afternoon.

Yellow and white chrysanthemums beautified the stately rooms and yellow and white were the prevailing tints in the delectable refectory served.

The afternoon was one of exceptional pleasure and sociability. Mrs. Elton Marine, of the Creek road, was among the guests.

A most delightful surprise was tendered to Harold W. Kellough, in honor of his birthday, at the home of his grandmother, Mrs. A. Wood, of N. North street, Wednesday night at a six o'clock dinner.

Covers were laid for ten, the guests seated with the young host, Robert Reardon, John C. Griffiths, Herbert M. Rothrock, Richard Haynes, Walter Weaver, Karl Kesler, Virgil Duff, Wil-

liam Anderson and Malcolm Ross.

A color scheme of pink and white was beautifully carried out in center embellishments of shaggy pink and white chrysanthemums and stevia, and in the four elaborate courses served.

A huge birthday cake blazed with 15 candles, the host lighting the candles and cutting the cake.

Throughout the house holiday decorations of scarlet and green were effective.

The affair was a complete surprise to the popular young host, who rose to the occasion and extended every courtesy to his guests. He was the recipient of a number of gifts.

The evening was merrily spent in a guessing contest and games.

John C. Griffiths won the first prize in the guessing contest, tying with Harold Kellough, and William Anderson the consolation. The prizes were large and small sticks of candy.

Assisting in the evening's hospitalities were Mrs. Wood's daughters, Mrs. Jesse P. Kellough and Miss Clara Wood.

The Fortnightly Guild Kensington was enjoyed by a large number of women at the home of Mrs. A. C. Henkle Wednesday afternoon.

The assisting hostesses were Mesdames Wm. Minter, A. Leland, Frank Mayer, Jess Blackmore, Martin Hamm.

A tempting luncheon was served during the afternoon.

FOR RENT.

Two newly remodeled corner rooms, 2nd floor Worthington Bldg., opposite Cherry hotel; furnished or unfurnished; for light housekeeping. Call at Mrs. E. J. Strobel, corner Main and Market.

Get that \$5.00 in gold offered free by The Fayette Credit Bureau. See display ad. in this paper. Send your reply in early.

IMPERIAL REBEKAH

LODGE NO. 717. There will be a called meeting of all members of team Thursday evening at 7:30 for drill. All members both guards and characters are urged to be present. By order of CAPTAIN.

XMAS TREES.

Riley will be in the Os McLellan room on corner of Fayette and Market streets, with a good assortment of Christmas trees, beginning a week before Christmas.

\$200 BUYS a business and furnishes goods to carry on the business; any energetic man can make from \$100 to \$150 per month, besides giving steady employment to 10 or 15 carpenters. Call on D. V. Hardie, Cherry hotel. 291 3t

SENIORS TO GIVE RECITAL

Misses Mary Baughn, Margaret Schneider and Gertrude Miller, seniors of the Stinson Conservatory, will give a recital at the hall at 2 o'clock Saturday afternoon. Miss Laurel Vincent will intersperse the program with readings. The public is cordially invited.

Mrs. Dudley Briggs and Mrs. Near of Austin, are shopping here today.

Mrs. Henry Jones has been in a serious condition at the Fayette hospital the past two days, and the anxiety of relatives and friends is deeply aroused. She is resting easier this afternoon.

WESLEY SHERIDAN BUYS FARM

Mr. Ben Jamison has sold the L. M. Martin farm of 104 acres, near New Martinsburg, to Mr. Wesley Sheridan, now residing near Mt. Sterling.

Mr. Sheridan will move his family to his newly purchased farm as soon as possession is given.

FOR THAT
WHAT-TO-GIVE
FEELING
SEE HETTY
THE JEWELER



ANSCO Cameras for Christmas

Young boys and girls, older boys and girls, grown-ups—of all likes and temperaments—find pleasure of the permanent kind in taking pictures the AnSCO way. Give an AnSCO. Many styles and sizes at \$2 up to \$55. See our assortment.

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Court and Main

THE
EARLY SHOPPER
GETS BEST SELECTION
Why Not You

REMEMBER: You can lay aside Christmas Gifts now—pay a little on them from time to time—by Christmas you will own the gifts and never miss the money.

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JEWELERS
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Groceries and Queensware

On Sale Friday

An assortment of Japanese Vases selling regularly at 50c.

Special for Friday only,

40c each

The vases come in a variety of shapes and colors and are very attractive.

CHRISTMAS IS COMING

DON'T BE PAYING BILLS TILL FEBRUARY
GIVE PHOTOGRAPHS — THE GIFT THAT CARRIES YOUR PERSONALITY
DON'T DELAY. — HAVE THAT SITTING MADE AT ONCE

HAYS
THE PHOTOGRAPHER IN THIS TOWN

\$5.00 Reward!

What policy shall the business and professional men of this city adopt in dealing with persons who do not pay their just accounts?

\$5.00 in gold will be paid for the best answer to this question. Replies must be in less than 150 words and sent by mail only. This contest is open to all residents of Fayette county, and will close Dec. 14th, at 6 p. m. The best reply will be published December 17th.

The Fayette Credit Bureau
Room 6, Pavey Building
Washington C. H., Ohio.

Corns Quit, Pains Stop, With "Gets-It"

Quit Plasters, Salves and What-Nots.
After using "GETS-IT" once you will never again have occasion for asking, "What can I do to get rid of my corns?" "GETS-IT" is the first sure, certain corn-ender ever known.



If you have tried other things by the score and will now try "GETS-IT," you will realize this glorious fact. You probably are tired sticking on tape that won't stay stuck, plasters that shift themselves right onto your corn, contraptions that make a bundle of your toes and press right down on the corn. Put two drops of "GETS-IT" on that corn in two seconds. The corn is then doomed as sure as night follows day. The corn shrivels. There's no pain, no fuss. If you think this sounds too good to be true try it tonight on any corn, callus, wart or bunion. "GETS-IT" is sold by druggists everywhere, 25c a bottle, or sent direct by E. Lawrence & Co., Chicago. "GETS-IT" is sold in Washington C. H. by Brown's Drug Store and Christopher's Drug Store. adv

EARTHQUAKE KILLS TWO HUNDRED IN PERU

Lima, Peru, Dec. 10.—Two hundred natives were killed in an earthquake that wrecked Colta and two other interior towns near by.

Mrs. Austin's famous pancakes make a really delicious wholesome breakfast. adv

CHICHESTER'S PILLS
THE DIAMOND BRAND.
Ladies! Ask your Druggist for Chichester's Diamond Brand Pills in Red and Gold metallic boxes, sealed with Blue Ribbon. Take no other. Buy of your Druggist. Active for CHICHESTER'S DIAMOND BRAND PILLS, for 30 years known as Best, Safest, Always Reliable. SOLD BY DRUGGISTS EVERYWHERE

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The Cuffs

on your shirt wear as long as the shirt if we launder them. We use press machines that molds the cuff to fit the wrist; this obviates the cracks and the shirt is comfortable to wear. Try our soft water; it's fine.

Rothrock's Laundry
Family Washing 6c

HOW RED CROSS SEALS ORIGINATED

Nearly \$1,900,000 has been raised by Red Cross Christmas Seals in the last six years, and yet many people who will buy these holiday stickers at this seventh annual sale do not know how the charity stamp idea originated.

It was war that brought forth the charity stamp—our Civil War of '61 to '65. Some of your grandmothers first played "post-office" with stickers similar to Red Cross Seals way back in 1862, when they conceived the idea of selling stamps at fairs for the benefit of the relief funds for the soldiers hospitals in Brooklyn, Boston and elsewhere. Nearly \$1,000,000 was raised in this way before 1865.

Stamps on seals were first used to get money for the anti-tuberculosis crusade in Norway and Sweden in 1904. To Jacob Riis, the well-known social worker, of New York, and to Miss Emily P. Bissel, the energetic secretary of the Delaware Red Cross, jointly belong the honor of originating our American Red Cross Christmas Seal. In 1909, Mr. Riis' interest was aroused by the receipt of a Christmas tuberculosis stamp on a letter from Norway. He published an article about this queer looking stamp and suggested some possible uses for it in this country. Miss Bissel at once saw an opportunity here and prepared a stamp, from the sale of which her society realized \$3,000 for tuberculosis work. So impressed was she with this success that she induced the American Red Cross to take up the sale in 1908 on a national basis. With very little organization and with hardly any attempt at careful advertising the sale that year brought in, nevertheless, over \$135,000 for anti-tuberculosis work in various parts of the United States. In 1909, with more thorough organization, the sale was increased to nearly \$210,000; in 1911 to over \$300,000 and in 1912 to over \$400,000. Last year the sale was increased to nearly \$500,000 seals, netting \$450,000 for the anti-tuberculosis campaign.

I. O. O. F.
Regular meeting Fayette encampment No. 134, Friday evening, December 11, Royal Purple degree. Refreshments.
VIRGIL VINCENT, C. P.
291 2t
Read the Classified Columns.

DRIVES AWAY HEADACHE
Rub Musterole on Forehead and Temples

A headache remedy without the dangers of "headache medicine." Relieves headache and that miserable feeling from cold or congestion. And it acts at once! MUSTEROLE is a clean, white ointment made with oil of mustard. Better than a mustard plaster and does not blister. Used only externally, and in no way can affect stomach and heart, as some internal medicines do.

Best for Sore Throat, Bronchitis, Croup, Stiff Neck, Asthma, Neuralgia, Congestion, Pleurisy, Rheumatism, Lumbago, all Pains and Aches of the Back or Joints, Sprains, Sore Muscles, Bruises, Chills, Frosted Feet, Colds of the Chest (it often prevents Pneumonia). At your druggist's, in 25c and 50c jars, and a special large hospital size for \$2.50. Be sure you get the genuine MUSTEROLE. Refuse imitations—get what you ask for. The Musterole Company, Cleveland, Ohio.

MUSTEROLE
WILL NOT BLISTER

GERMAN CRUISERS SENT TO BOTTOM

British Sink Three in South Atlantic.

TWO THOUSAND MEN DIE

Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig Sent to Bottom.

BATTLE OFF FALKLAND ISLANDS

Cruisers Dresden and Nuremberg Escape During Action, but Are Being Pursued by Units of the British Fleet—English Admiralty Reports British Losses Light — German Commander Von Spee Believed Lost as Only a Few Men Were Rescued.

London, Dec. 10.—A British squadron under command of Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee, chief of the war staff, engaged a German squadron under Admiral Count Von Spee off the Falkland Islands, in the South Atlantic, and won a victory in which it is estimated more than 2,000 Germans lost their lives.

The armored cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and the protected cruiser Leipzig, three of the German warships which have been menacing British shipping and which sank the British cruisers Goodhope and Monmouth in the Pacific on Nov. 1, were destroyed.

The cruisers Dresden and Nuremberg, the two "other" vessels which composed the German squadron, made off during the fight and, according to latest accounts, are being pursued. Two colliers were captured.

The admiralty's official announcement reads: "At 7:30 a. m. on the 8th of December the Scharnhorst, Gneisenau, Nuremberg, Leipzig and Dresden were sighted near the Falkland Islands by a British squadron under Vice Admiral Sir Frederick Sturdee. An action followed in the course of which the Scharnhorst, fly-

ing the flag of Admiral Count Von Spee; the Gneisenau and the Leipzig were sunk. The Dresden and Nuremberg made off during the action and are being pursued. Two colliers also were captured. The vice admiral reports that the British casualties are very few in number. Some survivors have been rescued from the Gneisenau and the Leipzig."

British Defeat Avenged.

The Scharnhorst, Gneisenau and Leipzig, with the cruisers Nuremberg and Dresden, composed the German Pacific fleet which, in the engagement with the British squadron under Rear Admiral Sir Christopher Cradock off the coast of Chile on Nov. 1, sank the British cruisers Monmouth and Goodhope, with the loss of about 1,500 men. Since that time British and Japanese squadrons had been searching for the German fleet, of which little had been heard.

The British casualties were light, but beyond the fact that the British squadron was commanded by Vice Admiral Sturdee no information is vouchsafed regarding the ships engaged.

The British squadron which engaged the German left England without the knowledge of the general public, and until his name was mentioned it was believed that Vice Admiral Sturdee was serving in home waters.

The admiralty laid a net for the German squadron. Down the Pacific coast of South America was coming a British battle fleet that far outclassed Von Spee's squadron. A Japanese fleet of great strength was in the same waters. In the Atlantic an equally strong division of the British navy lay. If they had escaped their fate on this occasion there would have been no rest for the Germans. Faster and bigger ships were closing in on them from every side.

Details of the engagement of the warships are lacking, but the information received by the admiralty from Admiral Sturdee leads to the belief that the fight was a replica of the meeting off the Chilean coast when Sir Christopher Cradock led his squadron into disaster, with the exception that on this occasion the British guns outranged the Germans. The admiralty announcement says that "very few men" were lost, and it is understood that the casualties were exactly three.

The German ships which were sent to the bottom had a normal complement of 1,816 men, the Scharnhorst and Gneisenau, sister ships, carrying 765 each and the little Leipzig 226.

XENIA FIRE IS SIMILAR TO ONE IN THIS PLACE

The big fire in Xenia Wednesday, while small in comparison with the one suffered in this city December 30, 1911, possessed many of the features which marked the local fire.

The loss in Xenia reached fully \$75,000 with about two-thirds of the amount covered by insurance.

Like the fire in this city it started in the basement of a department store, and the firemen were unable to reach it until it was beyond control. Water pressure was very weak, and streams could not reach above the second floor of the building.

Outside assistance prevented a still greater loss by bringing an engine which was capable of hurling water much higher than the building. One man suffered a broken leg.

A defective furnace is said to have caused the Xenia blaze.

ALLIES CAPTURE TURK GARRISON

London, Dec. 10.—It is officially announced that Subhi Bey, late governor of Basra, Asiatic Turkey, commander of the Turkish forces at Kurna, surrendered unconditionally with his troops to the Indian expeditionary force which is operating at the head of the Persian gulf. Kurna subsequently was occupied by the British, who are now in complete control of the country from the junction of the Tigris and Euphrates rivers to the sea and of the richest part of the fertile delta.

KAISER GRIPPED BY RAGING FEVER

London, Dec. 10.—Too weak to give instructions to his military advisers, Emperor William of Germany lies in a raging fever in Berlin, where his serious illness from pneumonia and nervous depression is causing his doctors grave concern. According to the latest advices from the German capital, the emperor has remained in bed, where he received reports on the military situation. He has been advised to concern himself as little as possible with the campaigns, as his present condition is attributed to overexertion and exposure. Since the beginning of the war, the emperor has been constantly at the front.



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FUNERAL OF MISS MARY MCKEE

The funeral of Miss Mary McKee, held at the home of her sister, Mrs. Ed Scoggins on Cherry street, Wednesday afternoon, at half past one o'clock, was attended by a large circle of friends and relatives.

Rev. F. E. Ross conducted a simple service, speaking with appreciation of the quiet, conscientious life and reading the hymns, "Lead Kindly Light," and "Crossing the Bar," and as the family said the last farewell, the victrola played softly "Beautiful Isle of Somewhere," the favorite hymn of the deceased.

There were beautiful flowers from relatives and friends in Springfield, Columbus, Bainbridge and Middletown, as well as in this city.

The burial was made in the Washington cemetery, with the pall-bearers, Mr. Lawrence McKee, Mr. Richard Sinclair, of Columbus; Mr. John McKee, of Springfield; Messrs. Chas. Parker, R. S. Sanderson and T. H. Craig of this city.

U. S. MAY RECRUIT TO FULL WAR STRENGTH

Washington, Dec. 10.—That the United States army be immediately recruited to its full war strength, which would mean the addition of 25,000 men and 1,000 officers, is urged by Secretary Garrison of the war department in his annual report to President Wilson. Such an increase would give the regular army a total of about 120,000 men, of whom 50,000 would be available as a mobile fighting force in the continental United States.

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The readers of this paper will be pleased to learn that there is at least one dreaded disease that science has been able to cure in all its stages, and that is Catarrh. Hall's Catarrh Cure is the only positive cure now known to the medical fraternity. Catarrh being a constitutional disease, requires a constitutional treatment. Hall's Catarrh Cure is taken internally, acting directly upon the blood and mucous surfaces of the system, thereby destroying the foundation of the disease, and giving the patient strength by building up the constitution and assisting nature in doing its work. The proprietors have so much faith in its curative powers that they offer One Hundred Dollars for any case that it fails to cure. Send for list of testimonials. Address P. J. CHENEY & CO., Toledo, O. Sold by all Druggists, 75c. Take Hall's Family Pills for constipation.

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New York, Dec. 10.—A Ninth avenue local elevated train carrying hundreds of passengers toward their homes in Harlem smashed into an express train standing at the One Hundred and Sixteenth street station. Flagman Joseph Collins and an unidentified man were instantly killed, and in the panic that followed when the wooden cars which bore the brunt of the impact took fire, scores were injured. The flames, mounting high from the burning cars, far above the street, brought thousands of men and women from that thickly populated section thronging to the scene of the accident, and fifty policemen charging into the mass had a hard time restoring order.

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FAVORS MODERN WARSHIP

Fletcher Says the Submarine is a Weapon of Opportunity.

AIRS NAVY'S PREPAREDNESS

Believes the United States Has No Reason to Fear Any Navy in the World Except That of Great Britain—Rear Admiral's Statement Before House Committee on Naval Affairs.

Washington, Dec. 10.—That the United States has no reason to fear any navy in the world except that of Great Britain, was the statement made before the house committee on naval affairs by Rear Admiral Frank F. Fletcher, who commanded the attacking force at Vera Cruz. Admiral Fletcher told the committee that in case of an emergency the fleet could be put to sea ready for action within a week, and that the government and people could feel assured that it would give a good account of itself. He declared that, notwithstanding the exploits of submarines in the European war, that type of vessel is essentially a “weapon of opportunity,” and in the final analysis all nations will have to depend for victory on modern battleships.

Admiral Fletcher discussed frankly the preparedness of the navies of other nations. He likewise commented on the naval lessons taught by the war. The proceeding was one of the most remarkable ever witnessed before the naval committee of the house.

Replying to questions by the committee, Admiral Fletcher testified that while navies of Great Britain and Germany outrank that of the United States, there will be an evening of the forces in case of war owing to the necessity of the foreign powers being compelled at all times to keep fleets in home waters. Admiral Fletcher testified that Great Britain, by reason of her large navy, would be in a position to send a fleet across to engage our own, keep a large fleet in home waters and at the same time control the sea.

Admiral Fletcher insisted that the principal naval lesson taught by the European war was that the battleship will not be displaced by the submarine as the main weapon of naval warfare. He said a fleet of 100 submarines would be ample to protect the coasts of the United States. He would station 40 or 50 of these vessels on the Atlantic and between 30 and 40 on the Pacific. He confirmed statements that have been made in the press that at present there is only one submarine on the Atlantic in shape for duty. He did not seem to fear bombardment of American cities in case of war. “Bombardment of cities,” he said, “is not an important part of modern warfare unless there is a military or naval base near the city or cities bombarded.”

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GERMANS PUSH ON VIGOROUSLY

London, Dec. 10. — The desperate fighting culminating in the capture of Lodz by the Germans has apparently exhausted the contending armies to such an extent that a period of comparative inaction will be absolutely necessary in that part of the battle front. Proof of this situation is found in official reports from Petrograd, Berlin and Vienna, which indicates that the area of the most violent action has shifted to Cracow for the time being.

The Germans have not neglected attempts to follow up their victory at Lodz by advancing past the city and by moving forward armies from other directions to concentrate on Warsaw, but the Russians are in strongly entrenched positions and the progress

of the fighting is largely in tactics and not in actual operations. In the Lodz district the battle now centers about Lowicz, only forty-five miles from Warsaw.

The Russian official report states that only partial success marked the Russian operations at Pietrowok. The Austrian report claims a complete victory at that point for the Austro-German armies.

The battle line in central Poland now extends from Ilow to Lowicz, east of Lodz, and through Strykow. There is also hard fighting on a line running north and south of Pietrowok for a distance of about ten miles.

Dispatches from Petrograd say that the center of operations about Cracow has shifted to the southward to the foothills of the Carpathians, on the Russian left wing. The Russian front now extends from Veltichka, within ten miles of Cracow, to a point seventy miles to the southeast, where the Austro-German army is attempting a flank movement.

Novelty.

They have a new stenographer,
And she is young and very fair,
And it will be a week or more
Before the young men in the store
Get down to work and cease to care.
—Detroit Free Press.

DAILY TIME TABLE.

BALTIMORE & OHIO S. W.
GOING WEST GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati. No. Columbus.
105...5:05 a. m. d||110...5:05 a. m.*
101...7:33 a. m. *||104...10:42 a. m. d
103...3:34 p. m. d||108...6:05 p. m. *
107...6:05 p. m. d||106...10:53 p. m. d
East-bound 114, Sundays, 4:19 a. m.

PENNSYLVANIA LINES.
GOING WEST GOING EAST
No. Cincinnati. No. Zanesville.
21...9:20 a. m. *||6...9:42 a. m. *
19...3:50 p. m. *||34...5:45 p. m. *
Sunday to Cincinnati...7:40 a. m.
Sunday to Lancaster...8:28 p. m.

C. H. & D.
GOING NORTH GOING SOUTH
No. Dayton. No. Wellston.
201...9:21 a. m. d||202...9:42 a. m. d
203...4:12 p. m. *||204...6:08 p. m. d
* SUNDAY ONLY.
263...7:36 p. m. ||

DETROIT, TOLEDO & IRONTON.
GOING NORTH GOING SOUTH
No. Springfield. No. Greenfield.
2...7:47 a. m. *||9...11:33 a. m. d
10...2:50 p. m. d||1...7:00 p. m. *
d. Daily. * Daily except Sunday

DIAZ FOR PRESIDENT

El Paso, Tex., Dec. 10.—News was received here to the effect that Felix Diaz, nephew of the former president of Mexico, had left New York for El Paso to join the revolution of Jose Ynez Salazar. This means that he is to be proclaimed provisional president by Salazar and that his capital will be established at Juarez. If Salazar can capture the border town from the Villistas now holding it. It has been rumored ever since Salazar reappeared in Mexico that his revolt is being financed by the Cientificos. Diaz has always been identified with that faction.

LEGAL NOTICE.

In the Probate court of Fayette county, Ohio.
The State of Ohio, Fayette county, ss.
To whom it may concern:
Notice is hereby given that accounts and vouchers have been filed in the office of said court
By Executors of
1733 George B. Parrett
1727 Lenora Saxton
By Guardians of
921 Wayne K and Lida G. Wissler.

994 Walter, Rocile, Miriam, Charles and Bertram Jones
1003 Bertha M. Homer W. and Marguerite Toops.

All persons interested in said accounts or trusts in any way whatever will take notice that the same have been set for hearing on the 9th day of January, 1915, at or before which time exceptions may be filed to any of said accounts and the same will be heard at that date or at such other time as the court may designate.

RELL G. ALLEN,
Probate Judge.

December 3rd, 1914.
12-3-10-17

NOTICE OF APPOINTMENT.

Estate of Mary Hillery, deceased.
Notice is hereby given that Martin Hillery has been duly appointed and qualified as administrator of the estate of Mary Hillery, late of Fayette county, Ohio, deceased.

Dated this 1st day of December, 1914.
RELL G. ALLEN,
Judge of the Probate Court,
Fayette County, Ohio.
No. 1803.
12-3-10-17

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First shipment of Fancy Delaware Holly came in today. Bright Green Foilage—plenty of berries. Price 15c Pound.

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Just the thing for your window or porch decorations. 15c each. 2 for 25c.

Cooking Figs, new lot, 13c pound.

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Not a Seed Raisins 13c per box.

Ko-We-Ba Cluster Raisins 25c package.

Fancy Dried Apricots 18c lb. 2 for 35c.

New Fancy Muir Peaches 15c pound. 2 for 25c.

Russel Brand Prunes 15c, 20c pound.

Fresh Vegetables Tomorrow—Oyster Plant, Radishes, Green Onions, Spinach, Kale, Head Lettuce, Curly Lettuce, Cauliflower.

We Sell Premier Pure Food Products

WILL HAVE MYERS HEARING TONIGHT

The hearing of John Myers, Athens county man who is under arrest here upon charges filed by his 17-year-old

daughter, probably will take place Thursday evening, and the man is said to have indicated that he will waive examination and be bound over to the grand jury.

Meanwhile his daughter is in destitute circumstances, and is said to be living upon the charity of friends.

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Do your buying while our stock is complete. We can give each customer more time and attention now than we can later.

Markets

Close of Markets Today

By Associated Press.

LIVE STOCK MARKET.

Chicago, December 10.—Hogs—Receipts 36,000; market slow; light Yorkers \$6.75@7.55; heavy Yorkers \$6.80@7.40; pigs \$5.25@7.40.

Cattle—Receipts 7000; market steady; Xmas. heaves \$11@13; native steers \$5.70@10.85; western steers \$5.25@8.50; cows and heifers \$3.25@8.50; calves \$6.50@9.25.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 15,000 market firm; sheep, natives \$5.20@6.25; lambs, natives \$6.30@8.50.

Pittsburg, December 10.—Hogs—Receipts 1800; market active; heavy Yorkers \$7.75@7.80; pigs \$7.25@7.75.

Sheep and Lambs—Receipts 1000; market active; top sheep \$6; top lambs \$8.75.

Calves—Receipts 50; market steady top \$12.

GRAIN MARKET.

Chicago, Dec. 10.—Wheat—Dec. \$1.16; May \$1.20%.

Corn—Dec. 62%; May 68%.

Oats—Dec. 46%; May 51%.

Pork—Jan. \$17.90; May \$18.37.

Lard—Jan. \$9.62; May \$9.92.

THE LOCAL MARKET.

Corrected Daily at Noon.

Wheat \$1.08

Corn 55c

Oats 45c

Prices Paid for Produce.

Chickens 10c

Hens 10c

Eggs, per dozen 36c

Butter 22c

New potatoes 45 to 60c

Lard, per pound 11c

MAY CHARGE BOOZERS AN EXTRA PREMIUM

New York, Dec. 10.—That the use of alcoholic beverages shortens life in this country was reported as a statistical fact to the Eighth Annual Convention of the Association of Life Insurance Presidents here this morning. Figures on the subject were presented by Arthur Hunter, Actuary in connection with the findings of a mortality investigation into the lives of two million life insurance policyholders, covering a period of twenty-five years. The investigation, which has just been finished, was made primarily to assist the life insurance companies to find out which types of persons could be safely accepted for insurance at the regular rates of premium, which types should be charged an extra premium, and which should be declined. It was announced however, at today's convention that the results of this private mortality inquiry were also available for public use in lengthening life.

Forty-three leading life insurance companies in the United States and Canada contributed their detailed records on the two million lives in question, which represented their collective experience on many different classes of insured likely to have higher death rates than normal.

OLD INDICTMENT IS DISMISSED BY COURT

In the case of the State of Ohio against Bertha Hutchinson, charging the murder of her infant child, the indictment was dismissed in common pleas court, the woman having been sent to the State hospital for the insane.

The crime of which she was charged occurred near the Stove factory in

this city last spring, and was one of the most repulsive crimes in the annals of criminal history in the city.

GOOD WORK OF LOCAL THEATERS

The four theaters of the city, the Colonial, the Palace, the Wonderland and the Empire, have presented the Red Cross workers with 1372 seals, as the result of the seals stamped on the theater tickets on the special nights devoted to that purpose. Considering the constant bad weather the sale is most gratifying.

At the public booth Wednesday, 733 seals were sold.

Get that \$5.00 in gold offered free by The Fayette Credit Bureau. See display ad. in this paper. Send your reply in early.

PITTSBURGH MARKET QUOTATIONS RESUMED

Today, for the first time since the closing of the Pittsburg live stock markets on account of the quarantine imposed because of the foot and mouth disease, quotations were is-

sued from that center.

The continued inactivity of this market after other markets had resumed business two weeks ago caused no little concern to eastern and middle west stockmen. The first quotations appear in today's issue of Herald.

PRACTICE TONIGHT

Basketball practice will be held in the Y. M. C. A. gymnasium tonight and all candidates for the Association team are urged to be on the floor before Christmas. 291 6t

Coal Operators Issue Statement.
Cleveland, Dec. 10.—That there is no immediate prospect of settling the strike of 15,000 coal miners in the eastern Ohio field was indicated

when the Ohio Coal Operators' association issued a statement defining its position, and which said that the mines would not be reopened until the miners agreed to a wage scale "in line with other contracts which they have made in competitive fields and which is not an increase over last year."

Alleged Slayer of Policeman Seized.
Columbus, Dec. 10.—James Smith, alias "Money Jim," twenty-six and colored, said by the police to be one of the murderers of Policeman James Ballard, was captured in a house in North Lazelle street by two automobile loads of policemen who surrounded the house. Max Scheff, gunman, arrested at Cincinnati last week, gave evidence in a confession to Chief Carter that it was he and "Money Jim" Smith who shot Patrolman Ballard.

Read the Classified Columns.

CRAIG BROS Special Showing OF FURS

SATURDAY, DECEMBER 12

We will have with us Mr. Sniffin, of the Wm. H. Miller Co., of Detroit, who will show a complete manufacturer's line of Fur Sets, Single Pieces and Fur Coats at very moderate prices.

We extend a special invitation to the ladies of Washington and vicinity to come in and see this splendid showing of Fine Furs.

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GERMANS ARE FORCED BACK

200-Mile Battle Line of Germans Said to Be Giving Way Before Furious Onslaughts of Allies—Big British Victory and Illness of Kaiser Are Chief Topics—Heavy Fighting Still Raging in East With Germans Claiming Advantage

FOURTH CRUISER SUNK

By Associated Press.
London, Dec. 10.—(Bulletin).—It was officially announced this evening that the German cruiser, Nuremberg, one of the warships which escaped from the British fleet in battle of December 8th, has been sunk.

London, Dec. 10.—The German line that stretches across France for more than 200 miles is said by the French war office to be giving way before the attacks of the allies. The French announcement says that the allies have prosecuted the offensive successfully at points scattered much of the way across the country.

The German military authorities say that in the east advance along the Vistula river is being continued.

London, December 10.—The naval battle in the South Atlantic and the illness of Emperor William diverted attention today from the great struggles now in progress in Belgium, France and Poland. The fate of the small German cruisers Dresden and Nuremberg, which at last accounts were being pursued by British warships, had not been disclosed.

The British admiralty preserved its silence as to the make up of the squadron which sent to the bottom the formidable German cruisers Scharnhorst and Gneisenau and the smaller cruiser Leipzig, but it was intimated at Tokio that the warships which avenged England for the loss of the Good Hope and Monmouth were all British vessels.

So far as is known to the naval authorities at Tokio the Japanese squadron sent to the South Pacific did not take part in the engagement.

It is also said at Tokio that the British squadron was reinforced recently by the addition of several big-gunned ships so that presumably the German warships were opposed by a stronger enemy.

The latest reports concerning the condition of Emperor William were that he was unable to leave his bed and that his fever has not decreased. There is foundation for formation of reports that the emperor is suffering from pneumonia.

The German army in the west has been stirred to renewed activity by the offensive move of the allies. Ypres and Furness are again reported under heavy bombardment by the Germans.

An official Russian statement shows that there has been no let up in the

fighting in the east. Both in central Poland and Galicia, the Russian statement reports the Germans are making attack after attack in attempts to pierce the Russian line. Petrograd asserts that these assaults have been repulsed with heavy losses for the Germans. Berlin reports that in the battle near Cracow both Russian wings were beaten back.

Washington, December 10.—The Turkish government, through Ambassador Morgenthau, has signified to the State Department its willingness that an expedition be sent to the relief of the people in Jerusalem. The expedition is being organized by Hebrew philanthropic societies in New York, which plans to send a ship through the Mediterranean to Palestine.

Montevideo, Uruguay, Dec. 10.—Wireless reports received here indicate that the German cruisers Dresden and Nurnberg, the survivors in the engagement with an English fleet, December 8, in which three German cruisers were sunk, closely pursued by British warships, are fleeing in the direction of Port Santa Cruz.

FAYETTE MEN AFTER JOB ON LIQUOR BOARD

COLUMBUS, O., DEC. 10.—THE STATE LIQUOR LICENSING BOARD TODAY SUMMONED C. E. BAUGHN AND S. C. PHILLIPS, OF WASHINGTON C. H., AND THOMAS YORE, BLOOMINGBURG, TO APPEAR BEFORE THE BOARD NEXT TUESDAY TO PRESENT THEIR CLAIMS FOR FITNESS AS APPLICANTS FOR APPOINTMENT AS LIQUOR LICENSE OFFICERS IN FAYETTE CO.

The appointment of the license board for Fayette county is expected during the present month, and probably on Tuesday of next week.

AUSTRIANS IN REVOLT

Geneva, via Paris, December 10.—A dispatch from Prague states that confirmation has been received there that Czech regiments, No. 28, 108, 11 and the 8th Landwehr, which were serving against Serbia, revolted on the battle field. The news is said to have created a deep impression in Vienna.

EDISON BEGINS A NEW

West Orange, N. J., December 10.—The fire which swept the ten acre manufacturing plant of the Thomas A. Edison Company was extinguished today after 11 of the 18 buildings had been destroyed and others damaged so, that the loss of the fire would approximate \$7,000,000. 7000 men are employed at the plant and half of these will be out of work temporarily.

Work of removing the debris was begun today under the direction of Thomas A. Edison.

One man perished in the flames and two are missing. Mr. Edison's laboratory was not injured. It contained records of 30 years of the inventor's work.

PASSENGER BOAT IS IN DISTRESS

By Associated Press.

San Luis, California, December 10.—Two liners are rushing to the assistance of the passenger steamer Centralia which is anchored off the California coast north of the Santa Barbara Islands. The Centralia's machinery is disabled and a strong southerly wind is threatening to drive her ashore.

Later—The Centralia is out of danger.

HERRICK OUT JUST \$400,000

By Associated Press.

Cleveland, O., December 10.—Myron T. Herrick, former ambassador to France, with Mrs. Herrick, arrived here early today and was escorted to his home, where he will rest up for a public reception to be given in his honor late this afternoon.

He declined to discuss the plan of friends to boom his for president in 1916 and said he would have to earn some money, as his duties in Paris had cost him \$400,000.

GERMAN BOAT WORKS HAVOC

By Associated Press.

New York, Dec. 10.—The will of the wisp movements of the German cruiser Karlsruhe in South American and West Indian waters, and the belief that German secret agents are keeping her informed of movements of merchant vessels, is working havoc with shipping along the South American coast, according to officers of the steamship Scottish Prince, that arrived here today from Santos.

REAR ADMIRAL FLETCHER
Discusses Preparedness of American Navy For War.



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QUARANTINE LIFTED IN FAYETTE COUNTY TODAY

By Associated Press.

WASHINGTON, D. C., DEC. 10.—(BULLETIN).—FAYETTE COUNTY WAS RELEASED TODAY FROM THE FEDERAL INTERSTATE QUARANTINE.

LIVE STOCK MAY BE SHIPPED OUT OF STATE UPON PREVIOUS INSPECTION.

HIGHLAND, ROSS, FAIRFIELD AND PICKAWAY COUNTIES ALSO WERE RELEASED.

NO CAUSE FOR ALARM SAYS SECT. DANIELS

Navy and Defenses Should be Steadily Strengthened Each Year But No Extraordinary Appropriations Made is Opinion of Nation's Naval Chief—Not Necessary to Have Navy as Powerful as England is Claim Made.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Secretary Daniels of the War Department, told the House Naval Committee today that while the American navy should be "steadily strengthened in an orderly way each year the sentiment of the American people was against the making of the United States into a military nation, in competition with the heavily armed powers of Europe. The Secretary's declaration today, close upon remarkable testimony of Rear Admiral Fletcher, commander of the Atlantic fleet, who yesterday told the committee there was only one navy in the world—England's—to which the United States was not equal, came as a climax to two days' discussion of the preparedness of the nation for defense.

Secretary Daniels declared he decried demands for great increases in the array of battleships and submarines and declared the United States already was a strong nation. He outlined this year's plan for two dreadnaughts, six torpedo boat destroyers, eight or more submarines, one of the sea going type, and the others for coast defense, one gunboat and one oiler.

He advises Congress not to act any differently in providing for naval strength than it would have acted if there had been no war in Europe. He declared that after the conflict

abroad had been settled there would be many lessons made plain and he expressed the hope that the universal disarmament might come then, though no nation could afford to stop its construction program until an international agreement had become an actuality.

Mr. Daniels outlined a plan for a naval reserve to keep 25,000 trained former sailors of the navy for practically instant service and revealed that all retired officers were being registered for that purpose now.

"There is no occasion," said the Secretary, "to have as big and powerful a navy as England, for instance, but we ought to have a powerful navy, steadily strengthened each year. My opinion is that universal disarmament will come, but never by the action of any one nation, and we would not further it by stopping construction now."

"If war should be jumped on us in a month, would you feel that a defense would be successful?" he was asked.

"As far as the auxiliary transports and similar ships are concerned we can command them at any time," the secretary said, "and with the progress we are making and the steady annual increase of the navy our country is in a very good position today."

GARDNER CLAIMS U. S. MILITARISM IS JOKE

By Associated Press.

Washington, Dec. 10.—Representative Gardner addressed the house today on his resolution for investigation of the preparedness of the nation for war. He also announced that he had introduced a bill to enact into law Secretary Garrison's recommendation to recruit the army to its full war strength.

A large portion of his speech he devoted to an analysis to President Wilson's references to the national defense. He declared the President had set up a "bogy man of straw" and that "if war were to break out today it would be found our coast defenses have not sufficient ammunition for an hour's fighting."

"Does the President realize that there are only 120,000 militiamen in this whole nation?" he said, "That 23,000 of them did not attend annual inspection? That 31,000 did not appear at the annual encampment? Is he aware that 53,000 never appeared at the rifle ranges last year?"

"Where is this citizenry to get the weapons of war? According to the latest report of the chief-of-staff we are short 316 field guns and 1,322,384 rounds of ammunition necessary to equip our militia in time of war."

In short, then, our officers and officials have told us that we lack men for our navy, men for our coast defense and men for our army; that we lack artillery and the ammunition with which to charge that artillery; that we lack great warships; that we have a sadly deficient under-sea navy and practically no overhead fleet at all.

"Arbitration! What a grand word. All that Carnegie has to show for his money is an unprepared England and an unprepared Belgium. Had Belgium, like Switzerland and Holland, put more confidence in her troops and less in arbitration and scraps of paper she might today be free from the agony of invasion."

"But suppose that at some future time we find our path beset by nations with smaller consciences and larger howitzers. What then? Pending that day, I should like a few more dogs of war and I promise not to sic them on to the passersby. I can dream of a day when society will be so well organized that there will be no more burglars."

Representative Gardner issued a dramatic challenge to Chairman Hay of the Military committee to summon Former Chief-of-Staff Major General Wotherspoon and question him about the report in which he commented on the lack of military preparation.

HEAD OF MORMON CHURCH DIES AT AGE OF 82 YEARS

Independence, Mo., Dec. 10.—Joseph Smith, president of the Reorganized Church of Latter Day Saints died at his home here today at the age of 82 years.

A history of Joseph Smith, who was a son of Joseph Smith, prophet and founder of Mormonism, is a history of the re-organized church of the Latter Day Saints. It was he who brought together the little bands of Mormons in Illinois, Iowa and Missouri, left behind when the main body emigrated to Utah. He became the first president of the re-organized church and held that office more than half a century, until his death. He was a cousin of Joseph Fielding Smith, in recent years president of the Latter Day Saints in Utah.

The greater part of President Joseph Smith's life was a struggle, as had been the life of his father, to place Mormonism upon a sound footing. During the last years of his life he was blind.

He was born November 6, 1832, at Kirtland, O., where his father had

gone two years earlier with a few followers, from Manchester, N. Y.

President Smith lived simply, occupying a modest cottage, one room of which constituted his office. He arose early and until his health began to fail a few years ago and blindness overtook him, he devoted his days to editorial work for the Saints' Herald.

President Smith was married three times, losing his first and second wives by death. He denounced polygamous teachings and practices and most emphatically denied that his father was a polygamist or sanctioned polygamy.

STILL IN JAIL AWAITING TRIAL

Til Taylor and Hayes Taylor, both colored, charged with the sale of intoxicating liquor, are still in the county jail awaiting their hearing, which has been postponed until December 17th.